



BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA

A PROCLAMATION ENROLLED AGENT WEEK

- WHEREAS: The Enrolled Agent profession dates back to 1884 when questionable claims had arisen regarding losses during the Civil War, and Congress passed legislation to regulate persons who represented citizens in dealings with the U.S. Treasury Department; and
- WHEREAS: Enrolled Agents are licensed by the U.S. Department of the Treasury to assist taxpayers with the annual compliance filing of tax returns or more complex issues such as audits, liens, levies, appeals, and collections; and
- WHEREAS: Individuals become Enrolled Agents by passing a comprehensive examination on the tax code, or by virtue of previous employment with the Internal Revenue Service for five or more years; and
- WHEREAS: Enrolled Agents intelligently and ethically represent the financial positions of taxpayers before government agencies, benefitting both Georgia taxpayers and the Georgia Department of Revenue; and
- WHEREAS: During Enrolled Agent Week, organizations including the Georgia Association of Enrolled Agents help us to recognize Enrolled Agents for their role in serving taxpayers and the State of Georgia; now
- THEREFORE: I, NATHAN DEAL, Governor of the State of Georgia, do hereby proclaim February 1-7, 2018, as ENROLLED AGENT WEEK in Georgia.

In witness thereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the Executive Department to be affixed this 8th day of January in the year of our Lord two thousand eighteen.



Nathan Deal

GOVERNOR

ATTEST

Chris W. Riley

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